



**COVER SHEET AND AFFIDAVIT FOR
ABSENT UNIFORMED SERVICE AND OVERSEAS VOTER**

(ABS-9)

State Form 51259 (3-03)

Indiana Election Commission (IC 3-11-4-6; IC 3-11-4-21; IC 3-11-10-1)

INSTRUCTIONS: This form, along with an absentee ballot, is sent by fax to an absent uniformed services voter or an overseas voter whose application to vote absentee by fax has been approved. The voter must complete this form and sign both the affidavit and the voluntary waiver of the right to a secret ballot. The voter then sends this form with the voted absentee ballots by fax to the county election board. The individual designated to receive absentee ballots transmitted by fax shall: 1) Note the receipt of the absentee ballot in the records of the circuit court clerk as other absentee ballots received by the circuit court clerk are noted. 2) Fold each ballot received from the voter separately so as to conceal the marking. 3) Enclose each ballot in a blank absentee ballot envelope. 4) Securely seal the envelope. 5) Mark on the envelope: "Absentee Ballot Received by Fax". and 6) Securely attach to the envelope the faxed affidavit received with the voter's absentee ballots.

COVER SHEET

To be completed by the county election board:

To: county election board of _____ County

Fax number of county election board: (_____) _____

To be completed by the voter:

Voter's name: _____

Voter's telephone number (*if available*): (_____) _____

Voter's fax number: (_____) _____

Voter's email address: _____

Voter's mailing address: _____
City State Zip Code

(Note: Providing a fax number, email address, or mailing address will allow the county election board to send the voter confirmation that the county election board received the voter's absentee ballot.)

AFFIDAVIT

I, (*Attach voter address label here or print voter name and address below*)

Affirm under the penalties of perjury that all of the following are true:

I reside at the above address and am entitled to vote in the above precinct/ward/township or I am entitled to vote an absentee ballot in the precinct where I formerly resided under IC 3-10-10, 3-10-11, OR 3-10-12 in the above precinct/ward/township in the state of Indiana (*and the required VRG-4/12 form is attached*) at the

☐ PRIMARY ☐ GENERAL ☐ MUNICIPAL ☐ SPECIAL ELECTION to be held on:

(*Insert date of election*)

I have personally marked the enclosed ballot.

Signature of voter

Date signed (*mm/dd/yy*)

_____/_____/_____

VOLUNTARY WAIVER OF SECRET BALLOT

I understand that by faxing my voted ballot I am voluntarily waiving my right to a secret ballot.

Signature of Voter: _____